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SUBJECT: GSP SEMINAR

REF: BANGKOK 33632

1. REFTEL BEING REPEATED TO THOSE POSTS THAT DID NOT RECEIVE IT.
 2. DEPARTMENT BELIEVES THAT RTG IDEA FOR GSP SEMINAR HAS MERIT, AND THAT IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE USG OFFICIALS PARTICIPATE. SINCE GEBER (EA/EP) EXPECTS TO BE IN BANGKOK FOR APCAC MEETING (FEBRUARY 25-28) HE COULD JOIN TEAM MADE UP OF A GSP GENERAL POLICY EXPERT
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AND A CUSTOM'S OFFICIAL FOR TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, IF FUNDING CAN BE FOUND. STATE/AID BELIEVES IT WOULD BE IN THE INTEREST OF AID THAILAND TO FINANCE TRIP, FOR GSP EXPERTS, SINCE IT WOULD ASSIST THAI DEVELOPMENT. POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT USG OFFICIALS COULD VISIT TWO OR THREE ADDITIONAL POSTS FOR A SIMILAR PRESENTATION ON GSP. GEBER WILLING TO TRAVEL TO OTHER EA POSTS.

COSTS COULD THEN BE SPLIT AMONG AID MISSIONS IN THREE OR FOUR COUNTRIES, AND SEVERAL COUNTRIES WOULD BENEFIT FROM PRESENCE OF KNOWLEDGEABLE OFFICIALS ON GSP.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY BANGKOK'S REACTION TO ABOVE AND INDICATION AS TO WHETHER AID THAILAND WOULD BE WILLING TO PAY FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO US OFFICIALS A) TO COME ONLY TO THAILAND AND/OR B) TO VISIT THAILAND IN CONJUNCTION WITH SEVERAL OTHER POSTS, THE COST BEING SPLIT EVENLY. FOR OTHER ACTION ADDRESSES, DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR REACTION TO ABOVE, WHETHER YOU BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO HOLD A SEMINAR IN YOUR COUNTRY AROUND TIME OF PROPOSED THAI SEMINAR AND AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FROM AID MISSION BUDGET FOR A PORTION OF THE TRIP.
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